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Department of Environmental Services

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**AGGREGATED PRECIPITATION DATA for N.H.
DROUGHT MANAGEMENT AREAS**

	Actual Rainfall (inches)	Normal Rainfall (inches)	Deviation from Normal (inches)	Percent of Normal
<u>Coastal Drainage:</u> Rockingham, Strafford counties				
four month	17.77	14.02	3.75	127%
six month	35.91	20.96	14.95	171%
nine month	45.77	30.56	15.21	150%
twelve month	62.43	40.62	21.81	154%
<u>Southern Interior:</u> Belknap, Hillsborough, Merrimack counties				
four month	16.04	13.93	2.10	115%
six month	33.33	20.85	12.48	160%
nine month	43.10	30.91	12.19	139%
twelve month	56.75	41.08	15.67	138%
<u>South Western:</u> Cheshire, Sullivan counties				
four month	15.17	13.58	1.59	112%
six month	33.59	20.48	13.11	164%
nine month	45.32	30.84	14.48	147%
twelve month	57.25	41.18	16.07	139%
<u>White Mountain:</u> Carroll, Grafton counties				
four month	14.92	13.06	1.86	114%
six month	29.28	29.28	9.26	100%
nine month	42.08	30.80	11.28	137%
twelve month	53.33	40.66	12.67	131%
<u>North Country:</u> Coos county				
four month	15.36	12.12	3.24	127%
six month	31.04	19.00	12.04	163%
nine month	46.37	31.12	15.25	149%
twelve month	58.78	40.24	18.54	146%

four month period : November 2005 - February 2006

six month period : September 2005 - February 2006

nine month period : June 2005 - February 2006

twelve month period: March 2005 - February 2006

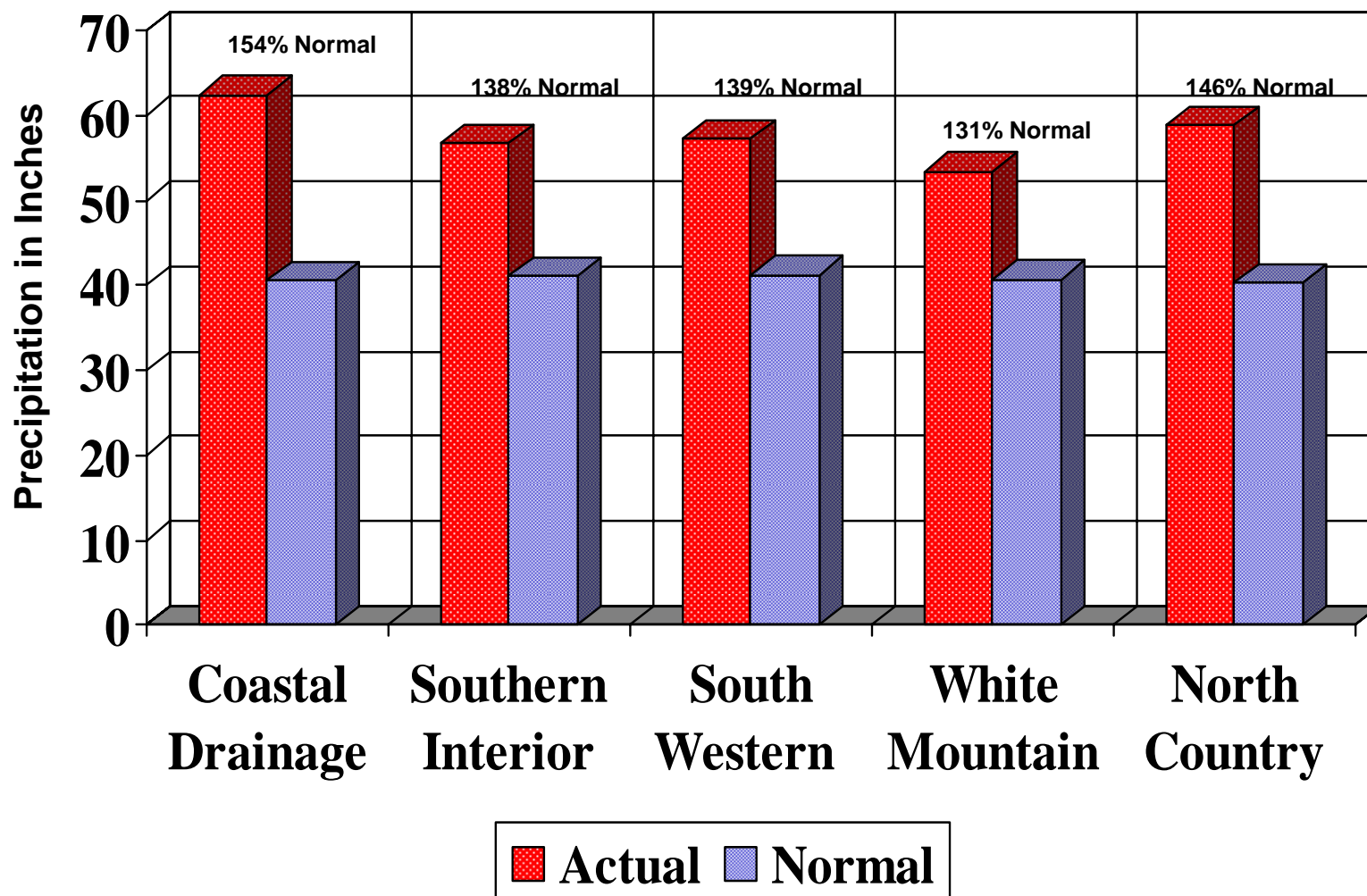
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TWELVE MONTH AGGREGATED PRECIPITATION DATA for N.H. DROUGHT MANAGEMENT AREAS from March 2005 through February 2006



MONTHLY PRECIPITATION DATA FOR N.H COUNTIES



		2005										2006	
		MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB
<u>Coastal drainage</u>													
STRAFFORD	actual	4.72	5.45	7.21	4.24	3.24	1.98	2.92	15.92	4.94	5.80	5.67	2.93
	normal	3.20	3.40	3.28	3.04	3.12	3.28	3.44	3.48	4.12	3.76	3.12	2.72
	deviation	1.52	2.05	3.93	1.20	0.12	-1.30	-0.52	12.44	0.82	2.04	2.55	0.21
ROCKINGHAM	actual	4.62	5.05	6.28	3.79	3.13	3.33	2.67	14.77	4.68	4.74	4.22	2.56
	normal	3.40	3.44	3.40	3.12	3.20	3.44	3.40	3.56	4.24	3.92	3.32	2.84
	deviation	1.22	1.61	2.88	0.67	-0.07	-0.11	-0.73	11.21	0.44	0.82	0.90	-0.28
Average	actual	4.67	5.25	6.75	4.02	3.19	2.66	2.80	15.35	4.81	5.27	4.95	2.75
	normal	3.30	3.42	3.34	3.08	3.16	3.36	3.42	3.52	4.18	3.84	3.22	2.78
	deviation	1.37	1.83	3.41	0.94	0.03	-0.71	-0.63	11.83	0.63	1.43	1.73	-0.04
<u>Southern Interior</u>													
HILLSBOROUGH	actual	4.11	5.08	5.56	2.62	3.59	3.13	2.09	14.39	4.59	4.55	4.46	2.58
	normal	3.88	3.56	3.52	3.36	3.32	3.68	3.60	3.72	4.32	4.16	3.60	3.16
	deviation	0.23	1.52	2.04	-0.74	0.27	-0.55	-1.51	10.67	0.27	0.39	0.86	-0.58
MERRIMACK	actual	3.72	5.16	5.06	3.87	3.64	2.52	3.18	15.05	4.99	4.56	4.29	2.55
	normal	3.40	3.36	3.36	3.20	3.28	3.44	3.36	3.44	4.00	3.92	3.16	2.84
	deviation	0.32	1.80	1.70	0.67	0.36	-0.92	-0.18	11.61	0.99	0.64	1.13	-0.29
BELKNAP	actual	2.53	4.69	5.05	4.46	3.08	2.38	3.47	13.71	4.02	5.14	4.26	2.12
	normal	2.92	3.24	3.28	3.16	3.44	3.28	3.36	3.28	3.80	3.48	2.92	2.44
	deviation	-0.39	1.45	1.77	1.30	-0.36	-0.90	0.11	10.43	0.22	1.66	1.34	-0.32
Average	actual	3.45	4.98	5.22	3.65	3.44	2.68	2.91	14.38	4.53	4.75	4.34	2.42
	normal	3.40	3.39	3.39	3.24	3.35	3.47	3.44	3.48	4.04	3.85	3.23	2.81
	deviation	0.05	1.59	1.84	0.41	0.09	-0.79	-0.53	10.90	0.49	0.90	1.11	-0.40
<u>South Western</u>													
CHESHIRE	actual	3.98	4.68	3.99	5.34	5.05	2.99	2.86	15.86	4.87	4.81	4.10	1.55
	normal	3.48	3.40	3.44	3.44	3.28	3.68	3.52	3.36	3.84	3.76	3.28	2.80
	deviation	0.50	1.28	0.55	1.90	1.77	-0.69	-0.66	12.50	1.03	1.05	0.82	-1.25
SULLIVAN	actual	3.06	4.49	3.66	3.73	2.62	3.73	2.92	15.20	5.42	3.76	3.82	2.01
	normal	3.36	3.44	3.56	3.36	3.32	3.64	3.44	3.48	3.84	3.72	3.12	2.80
	deviation	-0.30	1.05	0.10	0.37	-0.70	0.09	-0.52	11.72	1.58	0.04	0.70	-0.79
Average	actual	3.52	4.59	3.83	4.54	3.84	3.36	2.89	15.53	5.15	4.29	3.96	1.78
	normal	3.42	3.42	3.50	3.40	3.30	3.66	3.48	3.42	3.84	3.74	3.20	2.80
	deviation	0.10	1.17	0.33	1.14	0.54	-0.30	-0.59	12.11	1.31	0.55	0.76	-1.02
<u>White Mountain</u>													
GRAFTON	actual	2.53	3.78	3.97	5.42	4.00	4.76	3.85	10.74	4.99	3.61	3.44	1.70
	normal	3.04	3.24	3.56	3.48	3.84	3.64	3.48	3.48	3.76	3.64	2.92	2.60
	deviation	-0.51	0.54	0.41	1.94	0.16	1.12	0.37	7.26	1.23	-0.03	0.52	-0.90
CARROLL	actual	2.13	4.83	5.26	4.09	3.74	3.59	3.20	10.92	4.74	5.11	4.06	2.19
	normal	3.08	3.32	3.48	3.44	3.68	3.48	3.44	3.52	3.92	3.68	3.00	2.60
	deviation	-0.95	1.51	1.78	0.65	0.06	0.11	-0.24	7.40	0.82	1.43	1.06	-0.41
Average	actual	2.33	4.31	4.62	4.76	3.87	4.18	3.53	10.83	4.87	4.36	3.75	1.95
	normal	3.06	3.28	3.52	3.46	3.76	3.56	3.46	3.50	3.84	3.66	2.96	2.60
	deviation	-0.73	1.03	1.10	1.30	0.11	0.62	0.07	7.33	1.03	0.70	0.79	-0.66
<u>North Country</u>													
COOS	actual	3.14	4.45	4.82	5.59	4.99	4.75	4.78	10.90	5.96	4.00	3.54	1.86
	normal	2.76	3.04	3.32	4.16	3.96	4.00	3.40	3.48	3.48	3.44	2.72	2.48
	deviation	0.38	1.41	1.50	1.43	1.03	0.75	1.38	7.42	2.48	0.56	0.82	-0.62

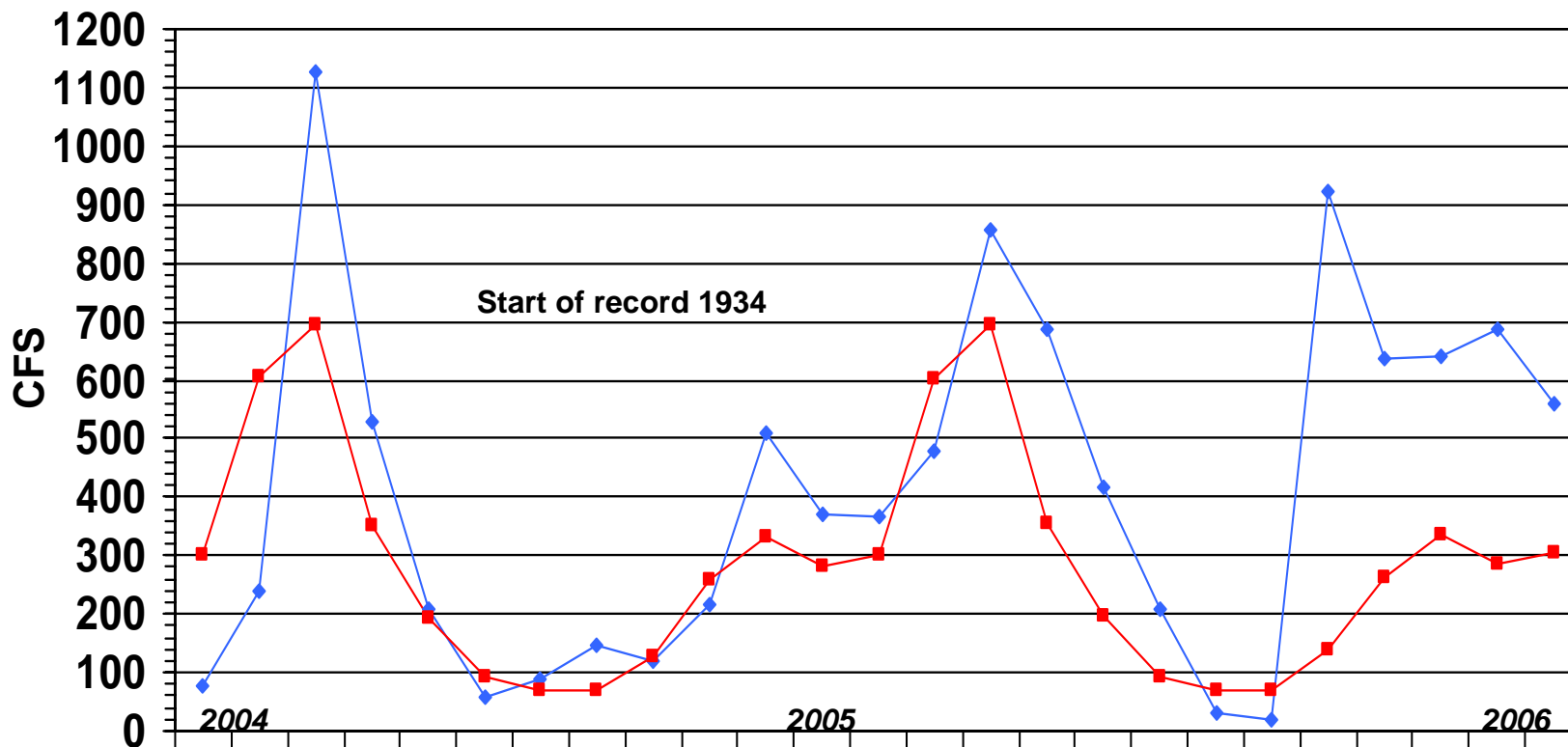
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LAMPREY RIVER near NEWMARKET NH

Gage# 01073500



MONTHLY MEAN FLOW COMPARED TO MEAN OF MONTHLY FLOWS



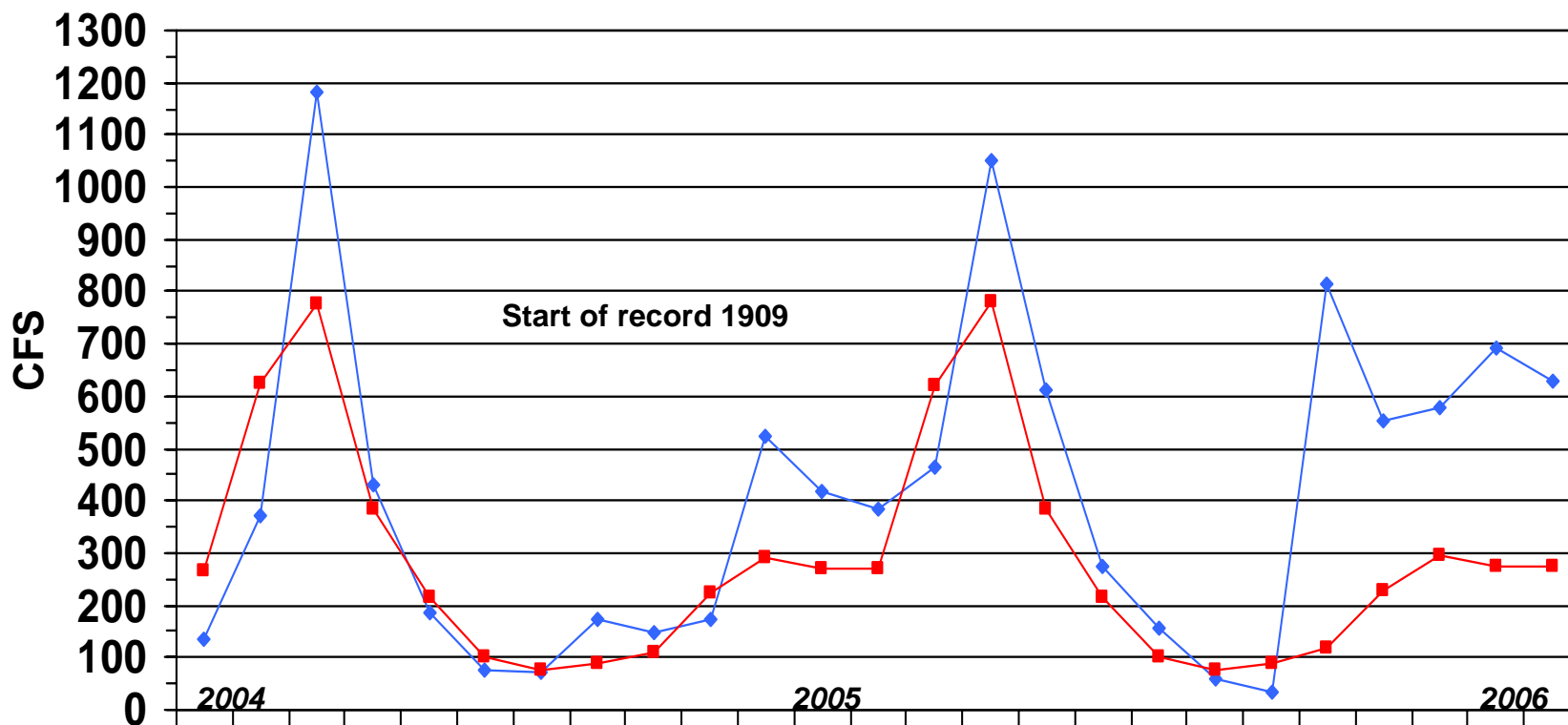
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◆ Monthly Mean Flow	79	241	1125	529	207	56	89	145	119	217	508	369	368	477	857	685	415	209	29	18	923	638	639	685	561
■ Mean of Monthly Flow s	300	605	694	351	192	91	71	71	128	259	333	282	301	603	696	355	195	93	70	70	139	264	337	287	304
% of Normal	26%	40%	162%	151%	108%	62%	125%	204%	93%	84%	153%	131%	123%	79%	123%	193%	213%	255%	41%	26%	664%	242%	190%	239%	185%

SOUHEGAN RIVER at MERRIMACK NH

Gage# 01094000



MONTHLY MEAN FLOW COMPARED TO MEAN OF MONTHLY FLOWS

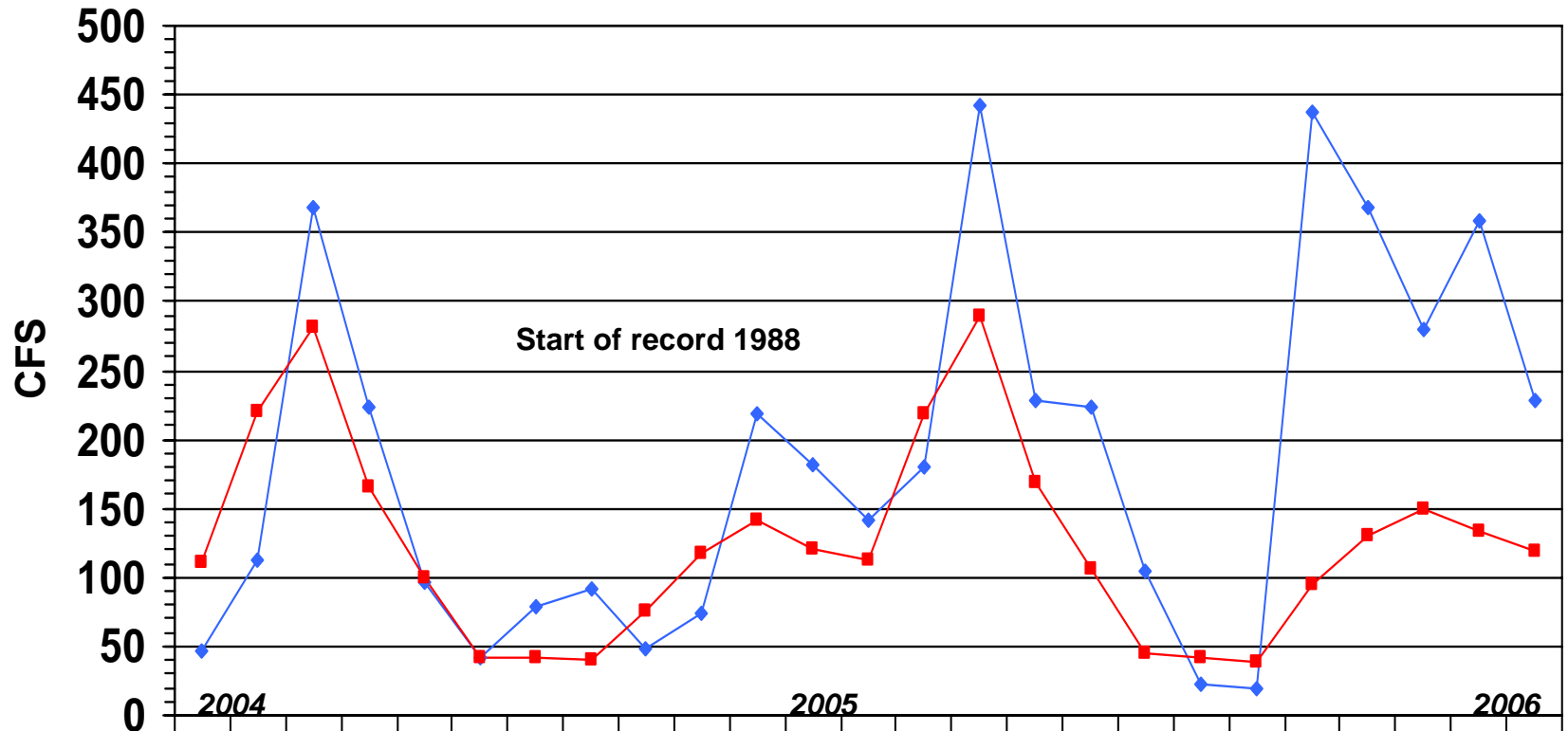


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Monthly Mean Flow	137	371	1181	430	184	76	71	173	146	171	525	419	386	464	1049	613	276	158	61	32	814	551	580	693	630
Mean of Monthly Flows	268	624	776	382	214	100	78	89	108	224	292	270	270	622	780	385	215	101	78	88	118	228	296	276	275
% of Normal	51%	59%	152%	112%	81%	65%	79%	194%	135%	76%	180%	155%	143%	75%	134%	159%	128%	156%	78%	36%	690%	242%	196%	251%	229%

SOUCOOK RIVER at PEMBROKE ROAD near CONCORD NH, Gage# 01089100



MONTHLY MEAN FLOW COMPARED TO MEAN OF MONTHLY FLOWS



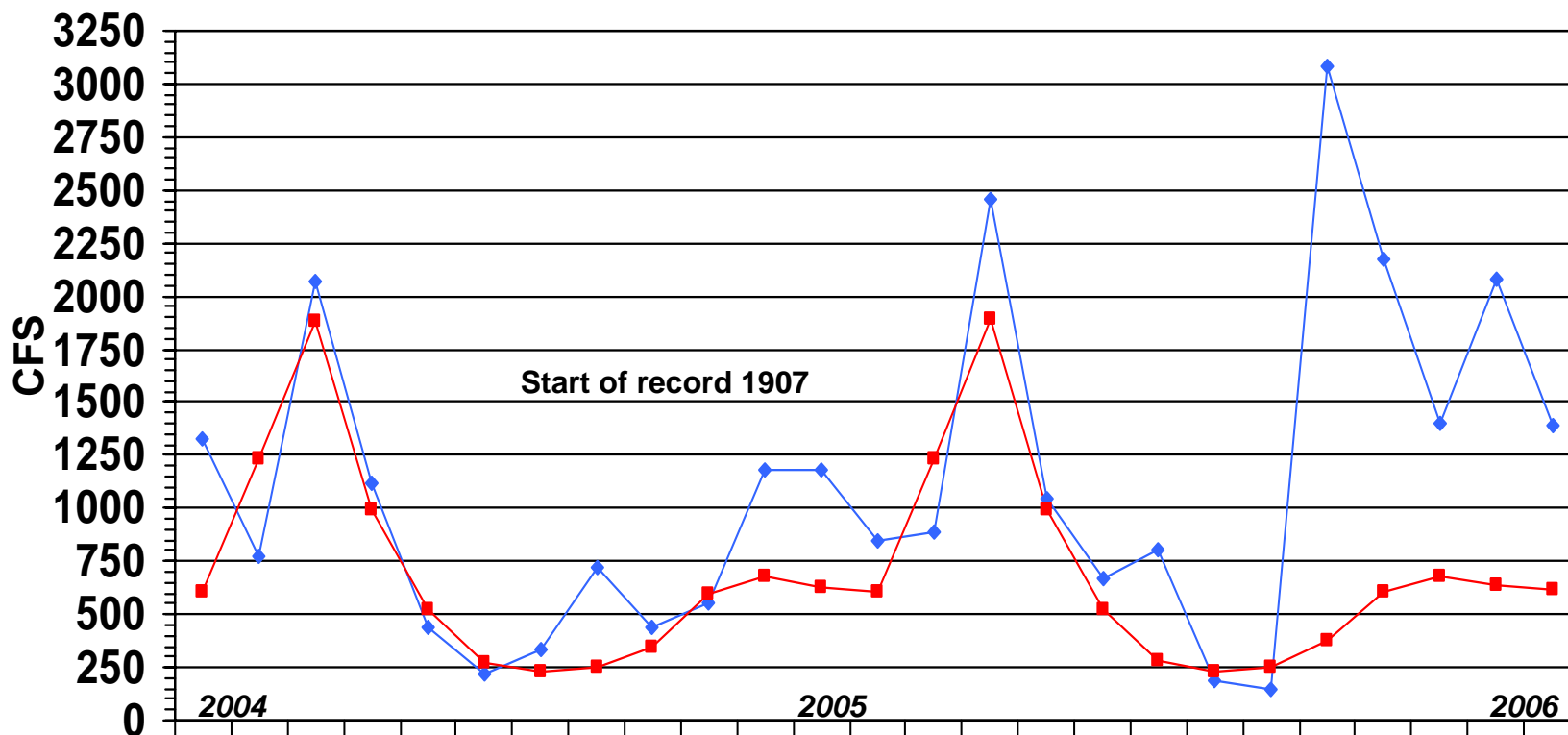
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◆ Monthly Mean Flow	47	112	368	224	97	42	79	91	49	74	218	181	141	180	442	229	224	104	22	19	438	368	280	359	229
■ Mean of Monthly Flow s	111	221	281	165	99	41	42	40	75	117	142	120	113	219	290	169	106	45	41	39	95	131	150	133	119
% of Normal	42%	51%	133%	136%	98%	102%	188%	228%	65%	63%	149%	143%	125%	84%	152%	137%	115%	231%	54%	49%	461%	281%	187%	270%	192%

ASHUELOT RIVER at HINSDALE NH

Gage# 01161000



MONTHLY MEAN FLOW COMPARED TO MEAN OF MONTHLY FLOWS



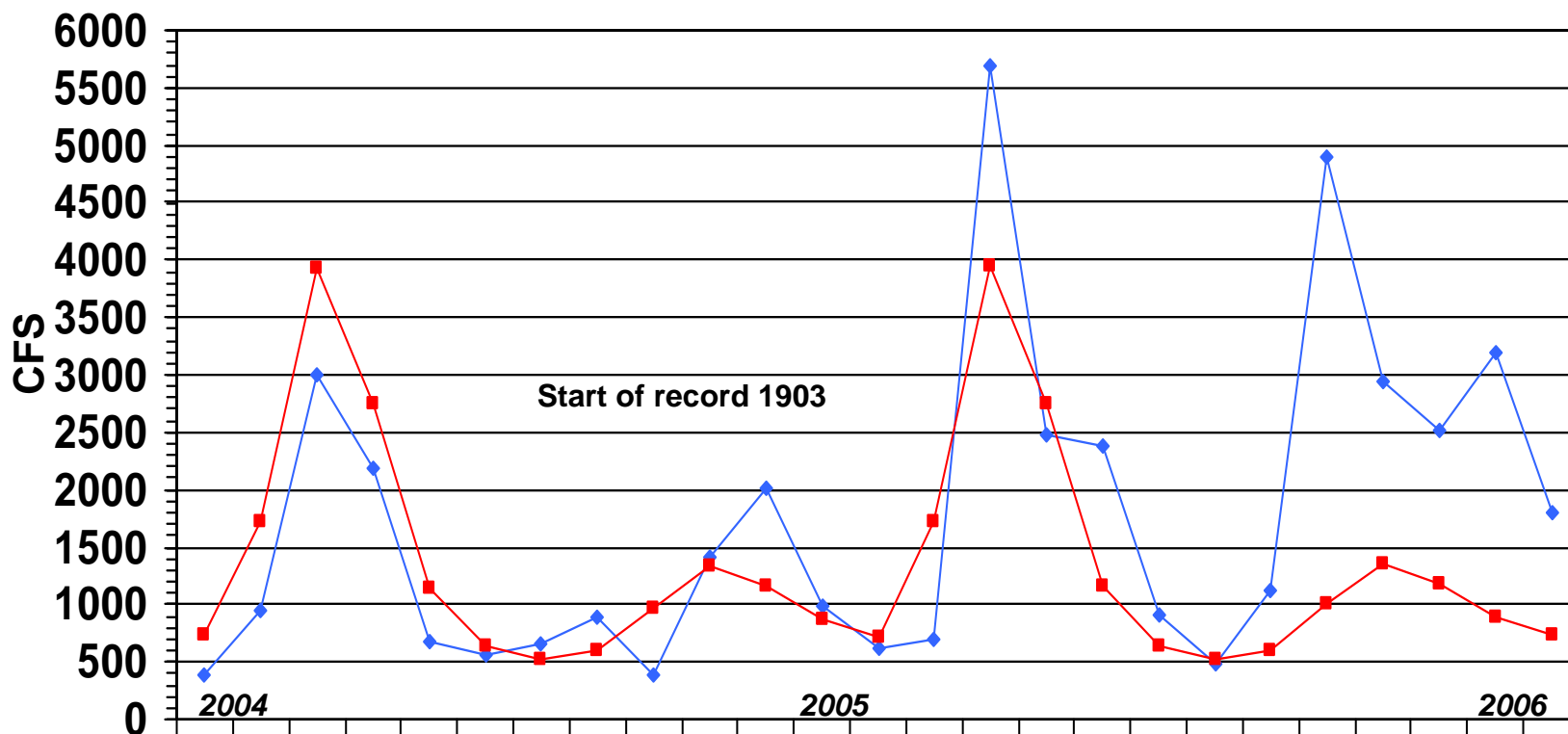
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	Feb	Mar	April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb			
Monthly Mean Flow	1324	769	2072	1122	437	224	334	721	434	554	1185	1182	850	890	2454	1048	671	802	190	145	3088	2171	1396	2082	1385			
Mean of Monthly Flow s	608	1236	1882	991	523	274	230	249	350	593	675	624	610	1232	1888	991	524	279	230	247	378	610	683	640	618			
% of Normal	218%	62%	110%	113%	84%	82%	145%	290%	117%	80%	170%	184%	139%	72%	130%	106%	128%	287%	83%	59%	817%	356%	204%	325%	224%			

PEMIGEWASSET RIVER at PLYMOUTH NH

Gage# 01076500



MONTHLY MEAN FLOW COMPARED TO MEAN OF MONTHLY FLOWS



	Feb	Mar	April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb
Monthly Mean Flow	380	949	3009	2191	681	563	654	890	393	1416	2014	986	614	702	5697	2472	2380	901	475	1114	4888	2948	2512	3189	1802
Mean of Monthly Flow s	726	1728	3924	2756	1147	634	515	598	964	1342	1161	870	725	1718	3941	2754	1159	637	514	603	1002	1358	1174	892	736
% of Normal	52%	55%	77%	79%	59%	89%	127%	149%	41%	106%	173%	113%	85%	41%	145%	90%	205%	142%	92%	185%	488%	217%	214%	358%	245%

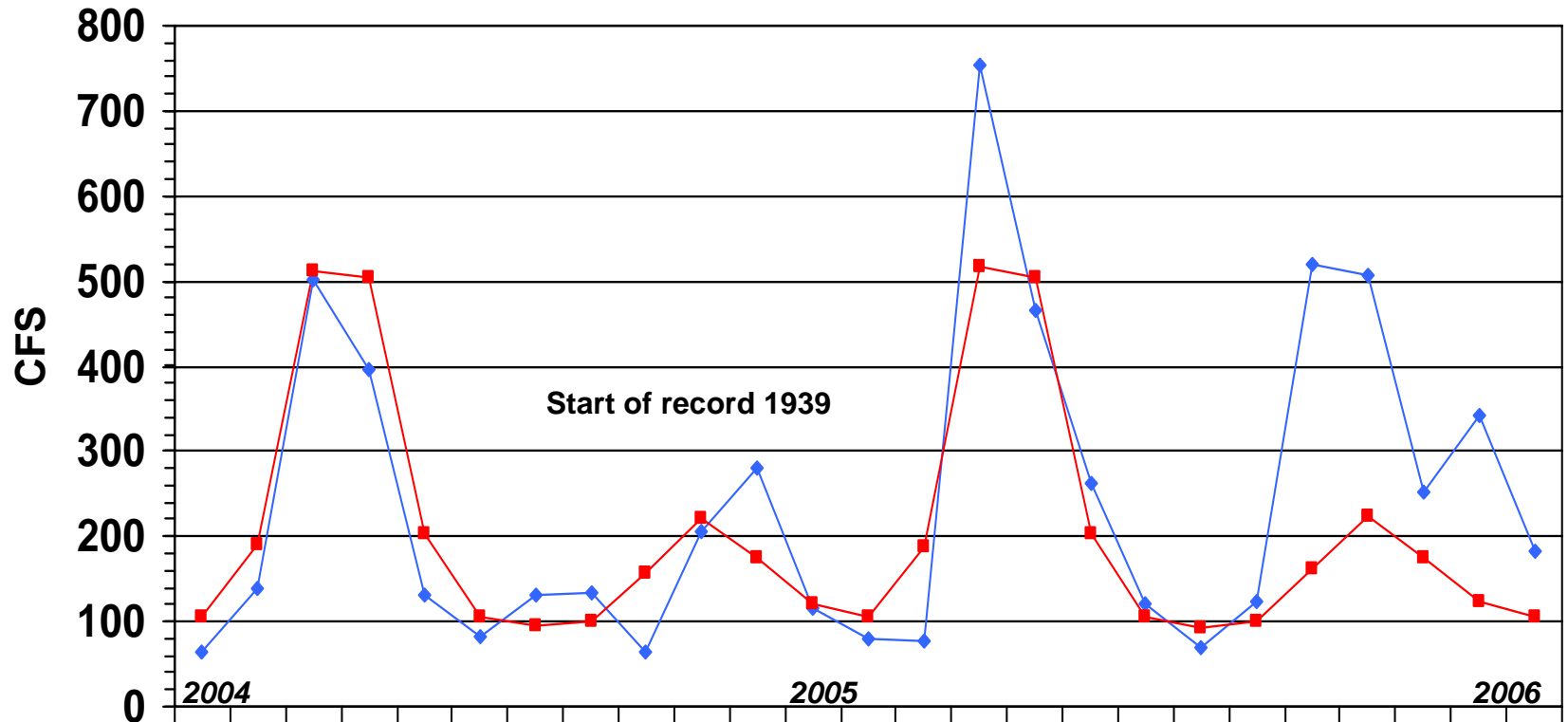
AMMONOOSUC RIVER at BETHLEHEM JUNCTION NH

Gage# 01137500



MONTHLY MEAN FLOW COMPARED TO MEAN OF MONTHLY FLOWS

This station replaces gage# 01137000 which was discontinued by DES at the end of Sept 2004



	2004			2005												2006									
	Feb	Mar	April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb
Monthly Mean Flow	64	138	501	397	131	82	130	135	64	207	281	117	80	77	753	465	262	120	70	123	520	507	252	341	183
Mean of Monthly Flow s	105	190	513	503	203	105	94	100	157	221	174	120	105	188	516	503	204	105	93	100	162	225	175	123	106
% of Normal	61%	73%	98%	79%	65%	78%	138%	135%	41%	94%	161%	98%	76%	41%	146%	92%	128%	114%	75%	123%	321%	225%	144%	277%	173%

STREAMFLOW DATA FOR SELECTED NH STATIONS AS OF MARCH 7, 2006



Station number	Station name	Est. Mean Flow (cfs)	Long Term Median Flow	99% Flow (cfs)	7Q10 Flow (cfs)	Lowest Period of Record Daily Flow (cfs)	% of Median	Below 0.99 Flow?	Below 7Q10 Flow?	Below Record Flow?
Androscoggin River Basin										
01052500	Diamond River near Wentworth Location, NH	Ice	89	22	16	6.8	#REF!	#REF!	#REF!	#REF!
01053500	Androscoggin River at Errol, NH	3,800	1,810	500	451	0	#REF!	#REF!	#REF!	#REF!
01054000	Androscoggin River near Gorham, NH	4,310	2,150	1300	1310	795	#REF!	#REF!	#REF!	#REF!
Saco River Basin										
01064500	Saco River near Conway, NH	Ice	390	105	97	66	#REF!	#REF!	#REF!	#REF!
01064801	BEARCAMP RIVER AT SOUTH TAMWORTH, NH	Ice	148	6	4.8	4.5	#REF!	#REF!	#REF!	#REF!
Piscataqua River Basin										
01072800	COCHECO RIVER NEAR ROCHESTER, NH	72	159	--	--	2.2	#REF!			#REF!
01073500	LAMPREY RIVER NEAR NEWMARKET, NH	139	358	7	5	--	#REF!	#REF!	#REF!	
Merrimack River Basin										
01074520	EAST BRANCH PEMIGEWASSET RIVER AT LINCOLN, NH	Ice	132	55	49	46	#VALUE!	#VALUE!	#VALUE!	#VALUE!
01075000	PEMIGEWASSET RIVER AT WOODSTOCK, NH	224	160	65	56	--	140%	FALSE	FALSE	
01076000	BAKER RIVER NEAR RUMNEY, NH	Ice	118	18	15	--	#VALUE!	#VALUE!	#VALUE!	#VALUE!
01076500	PEMIGEWASSET RIVER AT PLYMOUTH, NH	Ice	600	130	118	45	#VALUE!	#VALUE!	#VALUE!	#VALUE!
01078000	SMITH RIVER NEAR BRISTOL, NH	Ice	87	7	6.2	2.7	#VALUE!	#VALUE!	#VALUE!	#VALUE!
01081000	WINNIPESAUKEE RIVER AT TILTON, NH	842	837	143	136	48	101%	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE
01081500	MERRIMACK RIVER AT FRANKLIN JUNCTION, NH	1,830	1,930	520*	551	--	95%		FALSE	
01082000	CONTOOCOOK RIVER AT PETERBOROUGH, NH	71	105	5.5	6.3	--	68%	FALSE	FALSE	
01085000	CONTOOCOOK RIVER NEAR HENNIKER, NH	361	538	40	37	--	67%	FALSE	FALSE	
01085500	CONTOOCOOK R BL HOPKINTON DAM AT W HOPKINTON, NH	521	512	35	39	--	102%	FALSE	FALSE	
01086000	WARNER RIVER AT DAVISVILLE, NH	Ice	206	6	5.3	--	#VALUE!	#VALUE!	#VALUE!	
01087000	BLACKWATER RIVER NEAR WEBSTER, NH	310	154	15.5	13.7	--	201%	FALSE	FALSE	
01090800	PISCATAQUOG RIVER BL EVERETT DAM, NR E WEARE, NH	59	98.5	1.7	1.2	--	60%	FALSE	FALSE	
01091500	PISCATAQUOG RIVER NEAR GOFFSTOWN, NH	180	353	8	8.8	--	51%	FALSE	FALSE	
01092000	MERRIMACK R NR GOFFS FALLS, BELOW MANCHESTER, NH	3,760	4,785	560*	644	98*	79%		FALSE	
01094000	SOUHEGAN RIVER AT MERRIMACK, NH	197	301	15	12.9	--	65%	FALSE	FALSE	
Connecticut River Basin										
01129200	CONNECTICUT R BELOW INDIAN STREAM NR PITTSBURG, NH	332	625		42	30	53%	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE
01129500	CONNECTICUT RIVER AT NORTH STRATFORD, NH	Ice	1,150		176	108	#VALUE!	#VALUE!	#VALUE!	#VALUE!
01131500	CONNECTICUT RIVER NEAR DALTON, NH	Ice	1,630		389	115	#VALUE!	#VALUE!	#VALUE!	#VALUE!
01137500	AMMONOOSUC RIVER AT BETHLEHEM JUNCTION, NH	Ice	71		28	21	#VALUE!	#VALUE!	#VALUE!	#VALUE!
01138500	CONNECTICUT RIVER AT WELLS RIVER, VT	2,590	3,990		690	152*	65%		FALSE	
01144500	CONNECTICUT RIVER AT WEST LEBANON, NH	6,960	4,885	380*	902	82*	142%		FALSE	
01152500	SUGAR RIVER AT WEST CLAREMONT, NH	251	296	40	38	14	85%	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE
01154500	CONNECTICUT RIVER AT NORTH WALPOLE, NH	5,230	7,470	260*	1058	115*	70%		FALSE	
01158000	ASHUELOT RIVER BELOW SURRY MT DAM, NEAR KEENE, NH	81	147	4.5	2.7	0.4	55%	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE
01158600	OTTER BROOK BELOW OTTER BROOK DAM, NEAR KEENE, NH	26	56.5	1.6	1.1	0.3	46%	FALSE	FALSE	FALSE
01160350	ASHUELOT RIVER AT WEST SWANZEY, NH	222	669	32	--	--	33%	FALSE		

*Flow duration and record low mean daily flow significantly affected by reservoir operations

**Estimated

Source: USGS, NH DES

SUMMARY	Below 0.99 Flow?	Below 7Q10 Flow?	Below Record Flow?
FALSE =	14	18	5
TRUE =	0	0	0

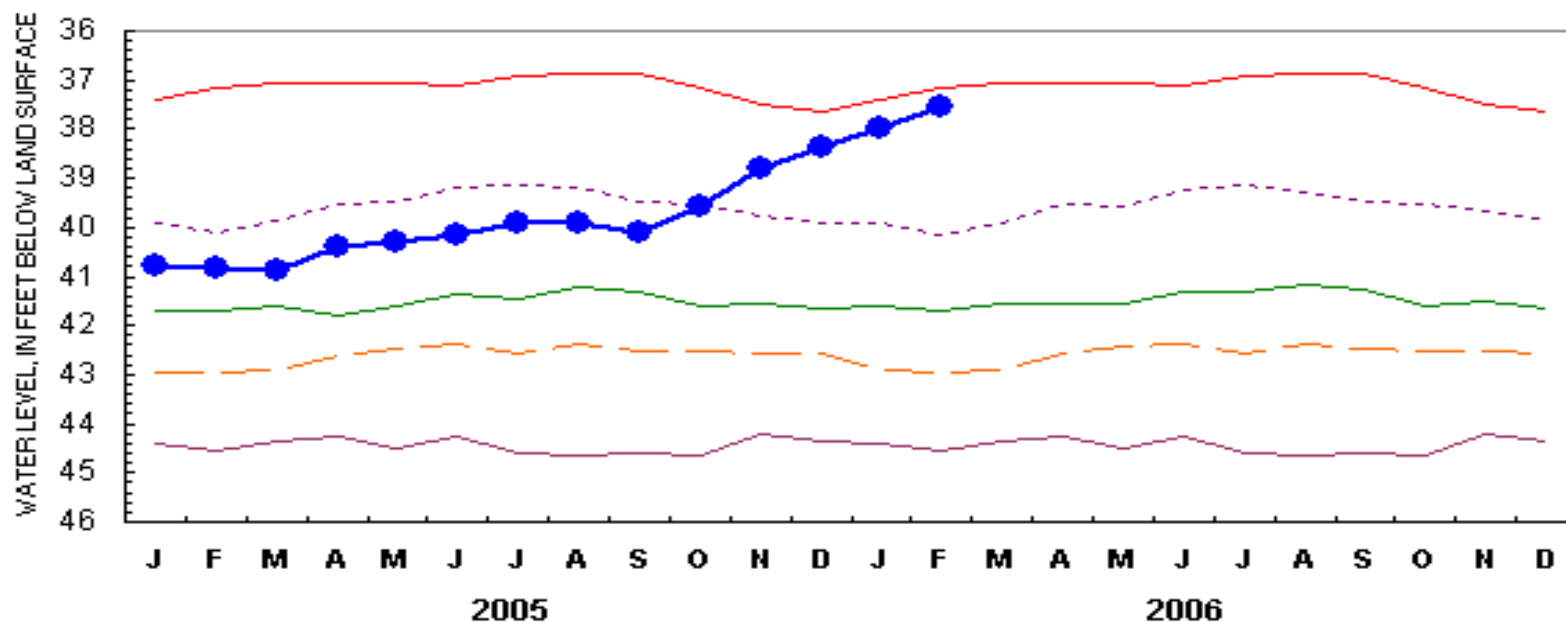
New Hampshire Groundwater Levels for February 2006



WELL	START OF WATER LEVEL BELOW		NET CHANGE		NET CHANGE		DEPARTURE FROM		PERCENT OF	
	RECORD	SURFACE DATUM (ft)	IN ONE MONTH (ft)	IN ONE YEAR (ft)	MEDIAN	RANGE (ft)	MONTHLY MEDIAN (FT)	RANGE	STATUS	
ALBANY 14	1995	5.71	-1.37	+1.16	6.97	2.12	+1.26	59.4	ABOVE NORMAL	
ALBANY 15	1995	7.70	-1.82	+1.13	8.88	2.53	+1.18	46.6	ABOVE NORMAL	
BARNSTEAD 10	1995	2.54	-0.18	+0.09	2.95	0.32	+0.41	128.1	ABOVE NORMAL	
CAMPTON 34	1988	12.41	-1.39	+0.66	13.07	2.24	+0.66	29.5	ABOVE NORMAL	
COLEBROOK 73	1995	7.60	-0.47	-0.02	7.34	0.71	-0.26	-36.6	ABOVE NORMAL	
CONCORD 2	1963	37.54	+0.42	+3.31	41.68	4.54	+4.14	91.2	ABOVE NORMAL	
CONCORD 4	1966	15.24	-0.50	+2.07	18.04	2.75	+2.80	101.8	ABOVE NORMAL	
DEERFIELD 46	1984	37.43	+0.14	+1.21	38.65	0.77	+1.22	158.4	ABOVE NORMAL	
ENFIELD 30	1990	2.57	-0.77	+5.10	7.23	3.90	+4.66	119.5	ABOVE NORMAL	
ERROL 1	1966	----	----	----	13.2	----	----	----	----	
FRANKLIN 1	1966	7.99	-0.03	+5.20	13.30	3.68	+5.31	144.3	ABOVE NORMAL	
GREENFIELD 75	1995	58.58	+0.64	+3.77	62.49	3.20	+3.91	122.2	ABOVE NORMAL	
HOOKSETT 5	1965	46.29	+0.07	+1.74	47.97	6.25	+1.68	26.9	ABOVE NORMAL	
KEENE 2	1963	3.00	----	+0.41	3.18	2.10	+0.18	8.6	NORMAL	
LANCASTER 1	1966	----	----	----	1.50	----	----	----	----	
LEE 1	1953	30.47	-0.42	+0.05	31.12	1.17	+0.65	55.6	ABOVE NORMAL	
LISBON 19	1990	12.39	-0.40	+0.43	13.02	1.63	+0.63	38.7	NORMAL	
NASHUA 218	1964	26.38	-0.07	+0.51	28.22	1.33	+1.84	138.3	ABOVE NORMAL	
NEW DURHAM 53	1986	18.68	-0.27	+0.26	19.17	1.02	+0.49	48.0	NORMAL	
NEW LONDON 1	1947	6.93	-2.69	+1.57	9.30	5.63	+2.37	42.1	ABOVE NORMAL	
NEWPORT 3	1995	4.95	-1.27	+0.85	5.89	1.74	+0.94	54.0	ABOVE NORMAL	
NEWPORT 6	1995	5.03	-1.29	+0.82	5.97	1.92	+0.94	49.0	ABOVE NORMAL	
OSSIPEE 38	1995	33.53	+0.10	+2.46	36.01	1.14	+2.48	217.5	ABOVE NORMAL	
SHELBURNE 2	1995	4.78	-0.35	+0.27	4.70	0.35	-0.08	-22.9	NORMAL	
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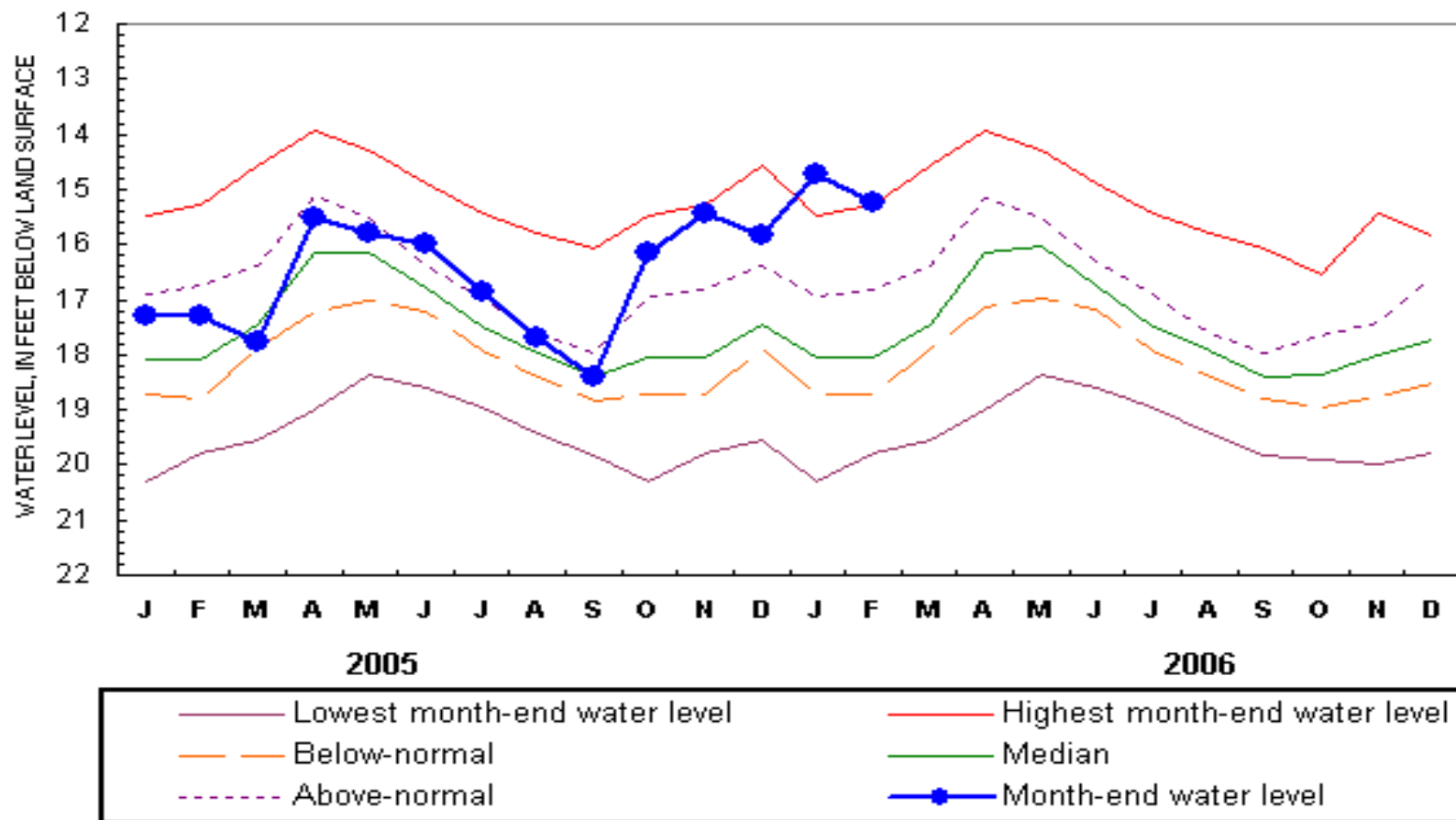
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CONCORD 2 (CVW 2) NH (August 1963 - May 1965, August 1967 -)



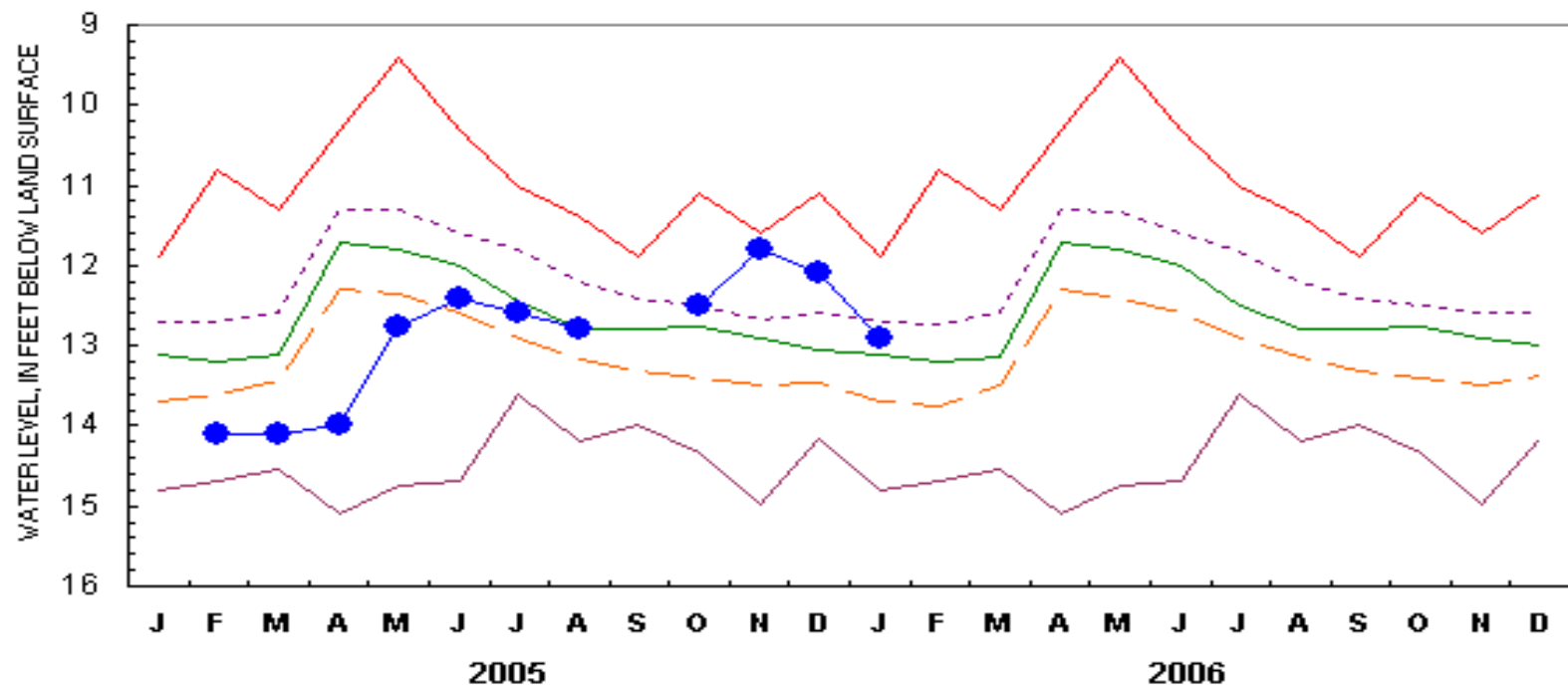
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CONCORD 4 (CVW 4) NH (November 1966 -)



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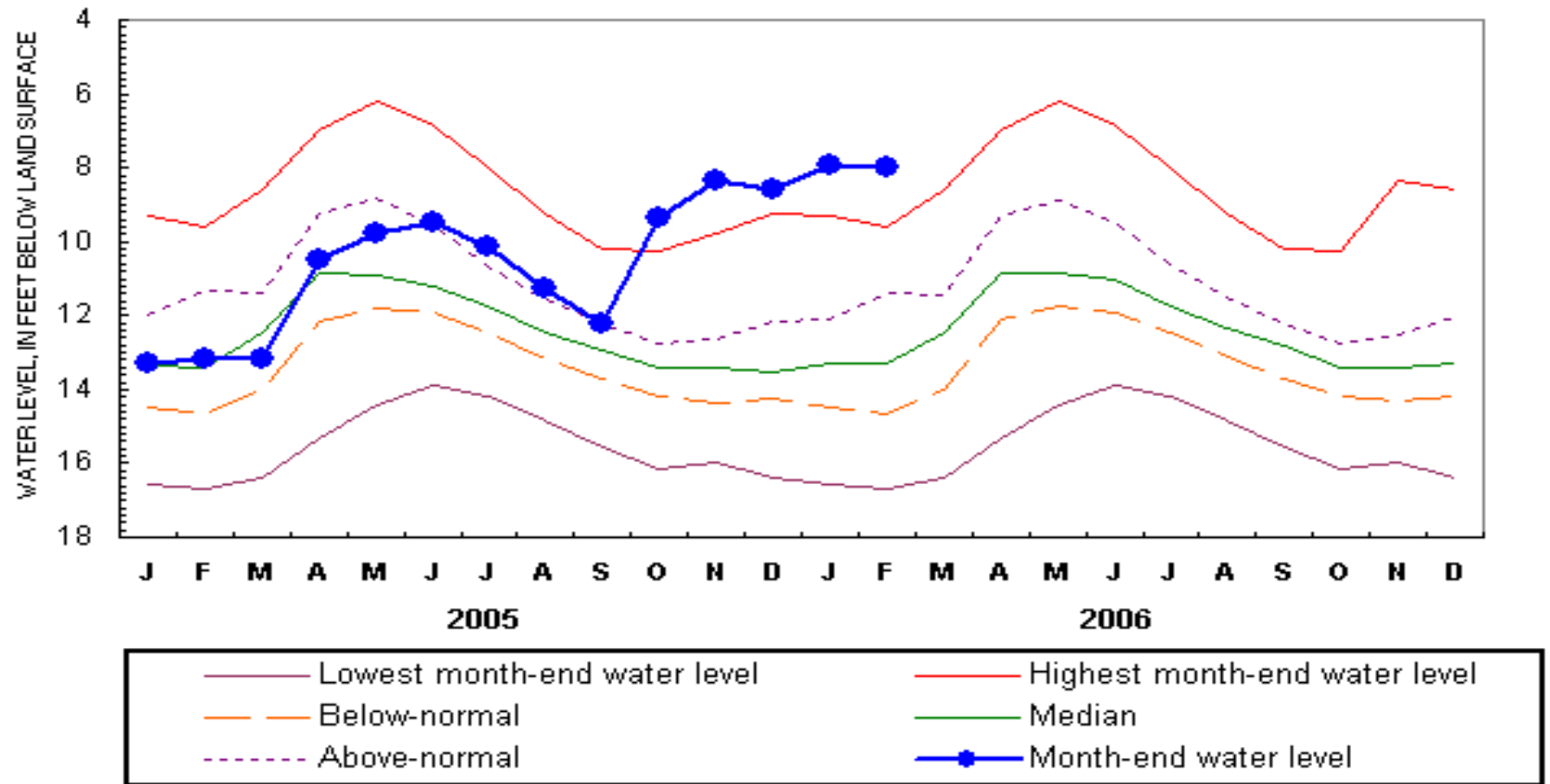
ERROL 1 (ETW 1) NH (November 1966 -)



- Lowest month-end water level
- Highest month-end water level
- - - Below-normal
- - - Above-normal
- Median
- Month-end water level

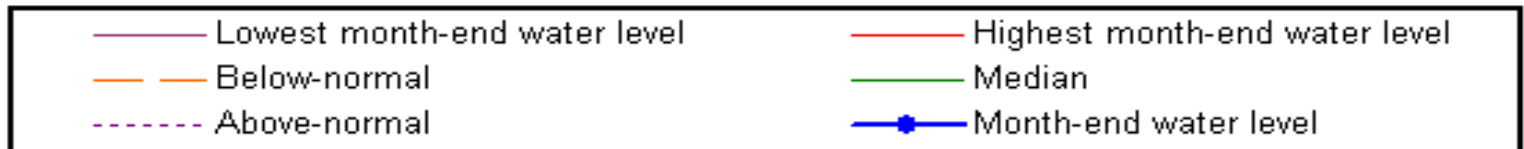
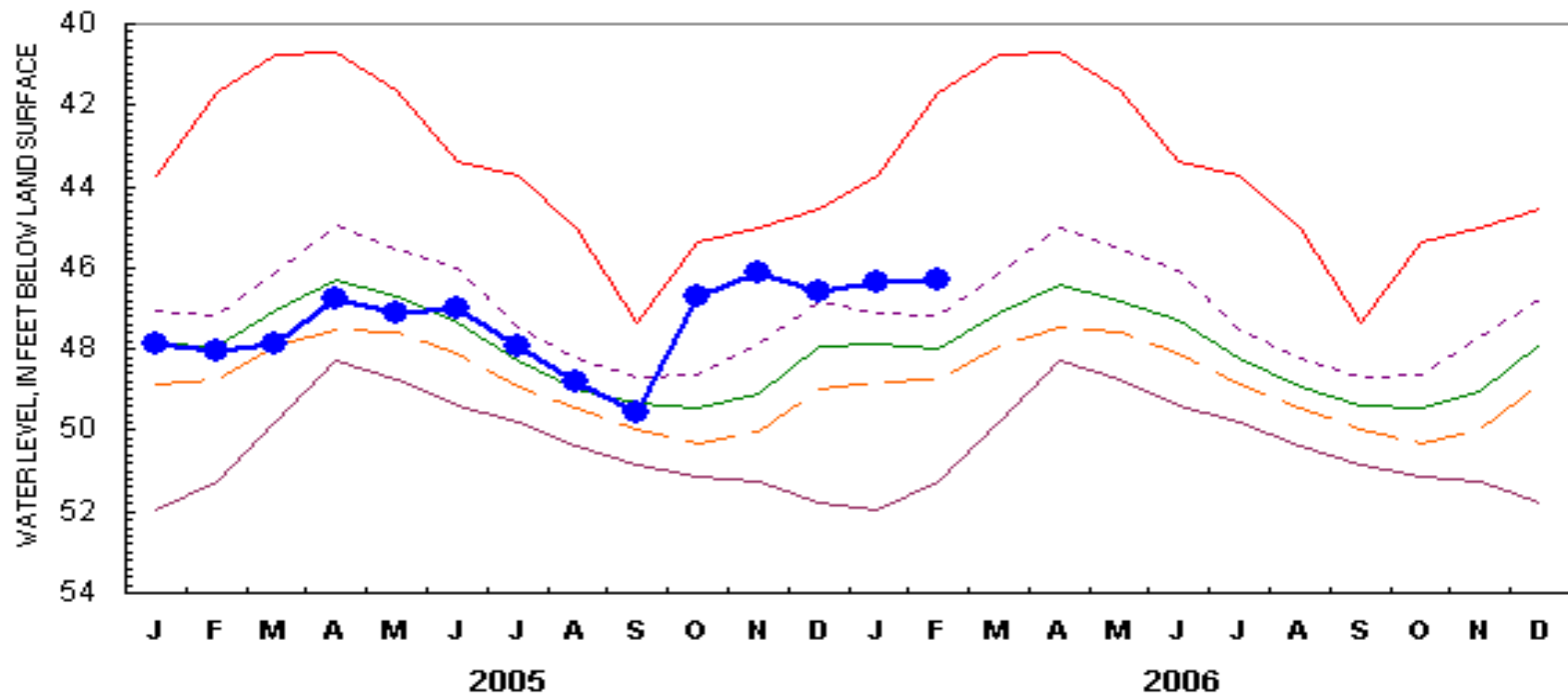
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FRANKLIN 1 (FKW 1) NH (October 1966 -)



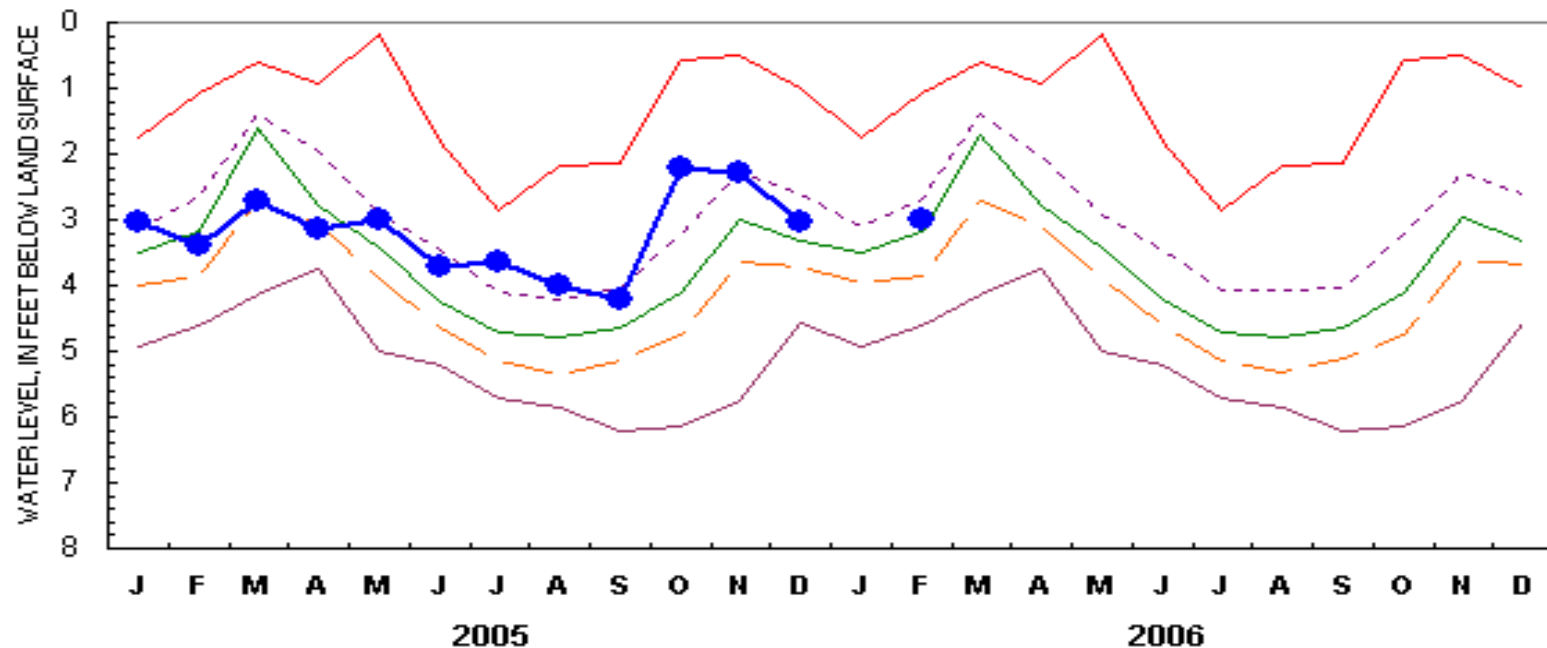
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HOOKSETT 5 (HTW 5) NH (April 1965 -)



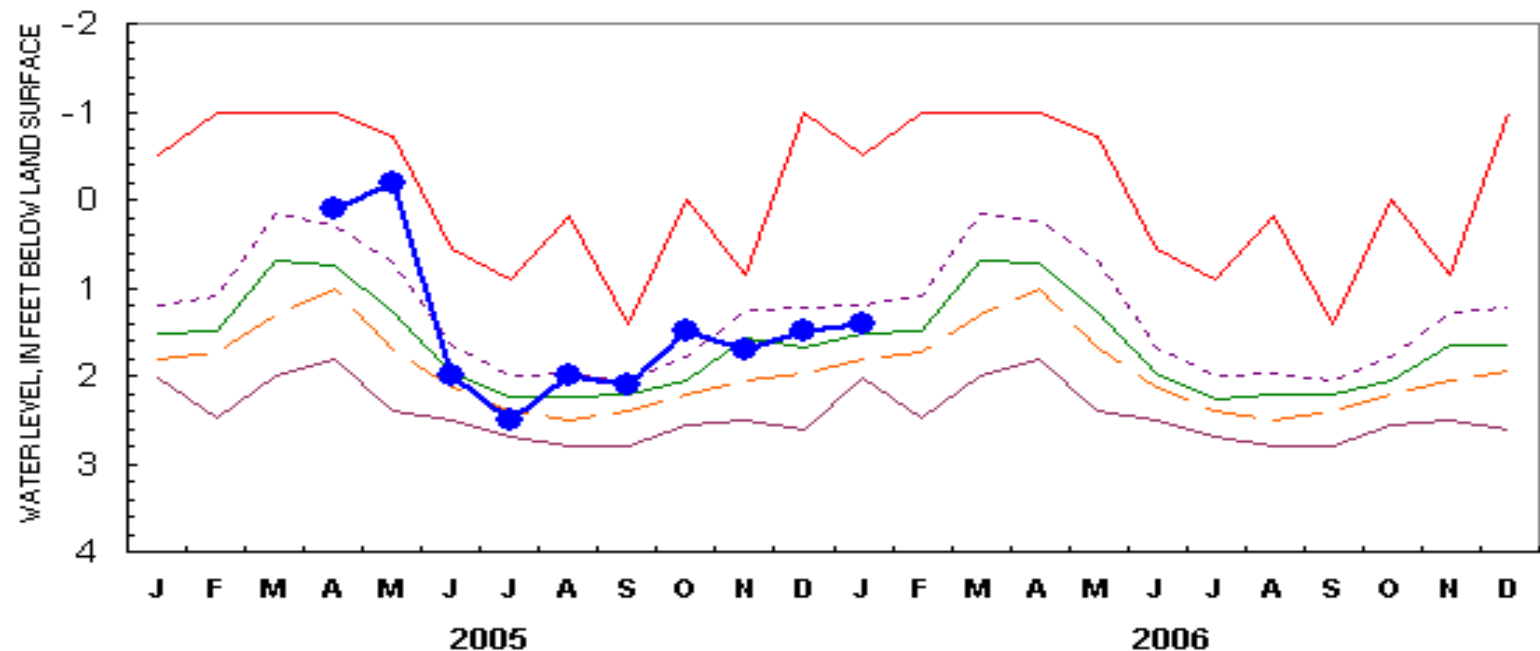
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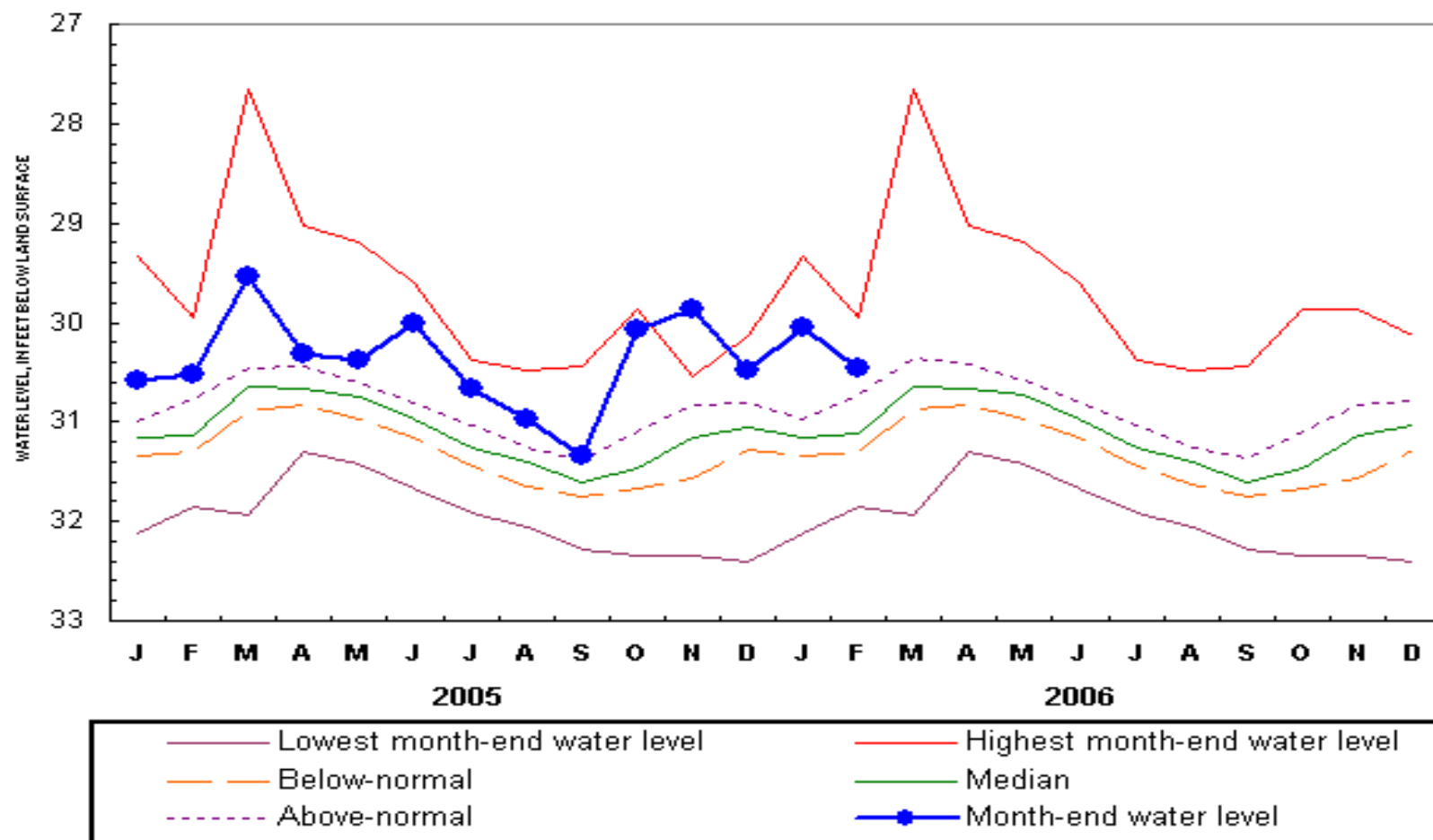
LANCASTER 1 (LCW 1) NH (November 1966 - May 1980, April 1981)



— Lowest month-end water level	— Highest month-end water level
- - Below-normal	— Median
- - Above-normal	—•— Month-end water level

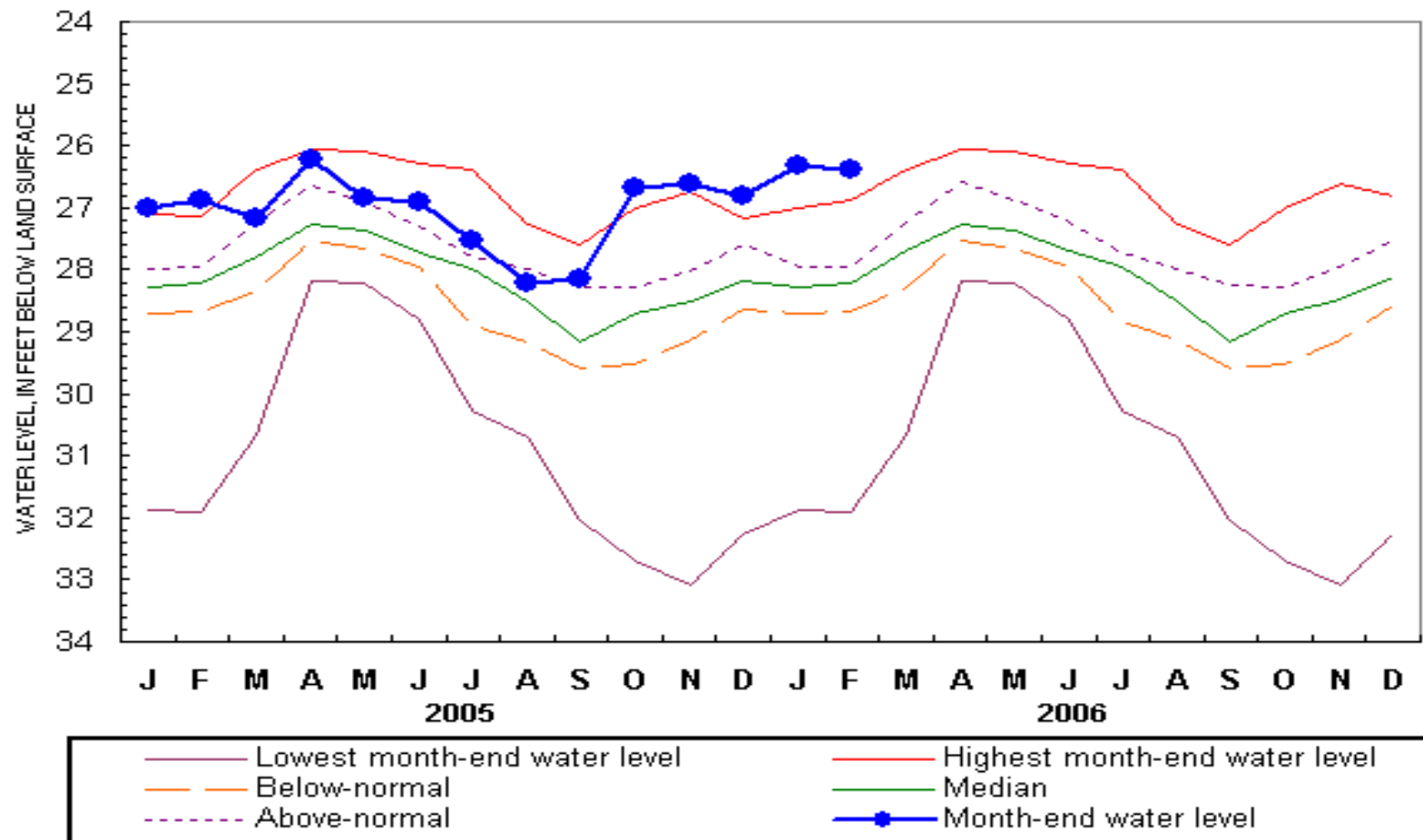
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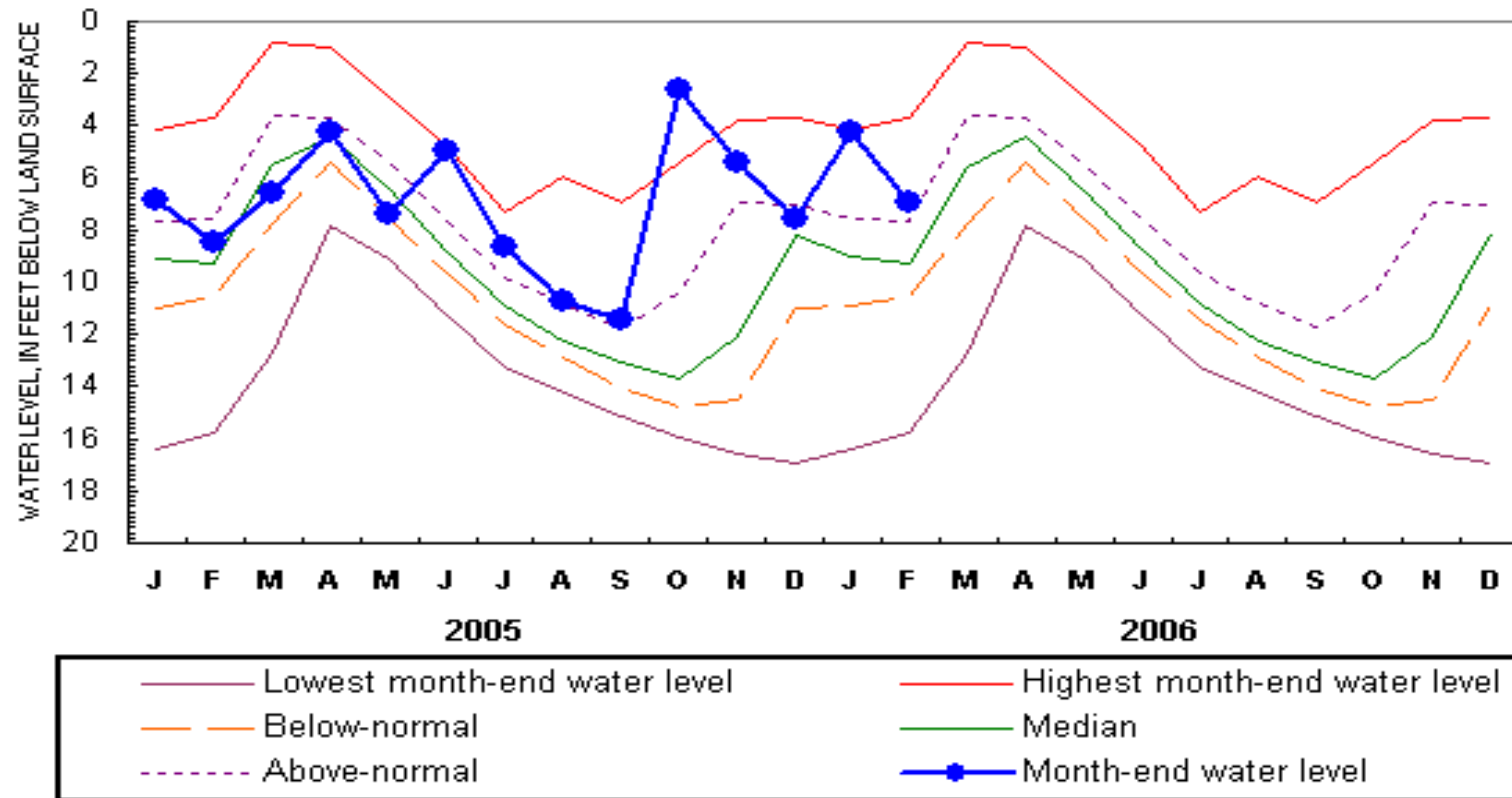
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NASHUA 218 (NAW 218) NH (October 1964 -)



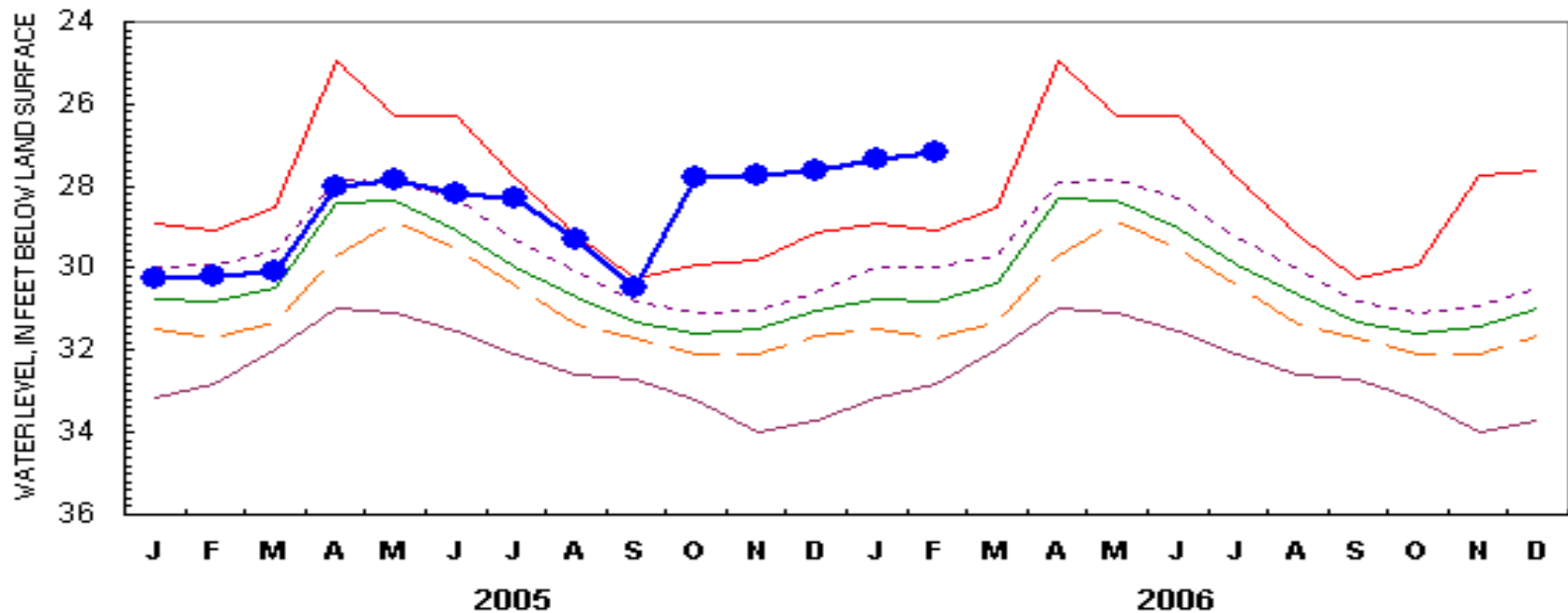
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NEW LONDON 1 (NLW 1) NH (October 1947 -)



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WARNER 1 (WCW 1) NH (December 1965 -)

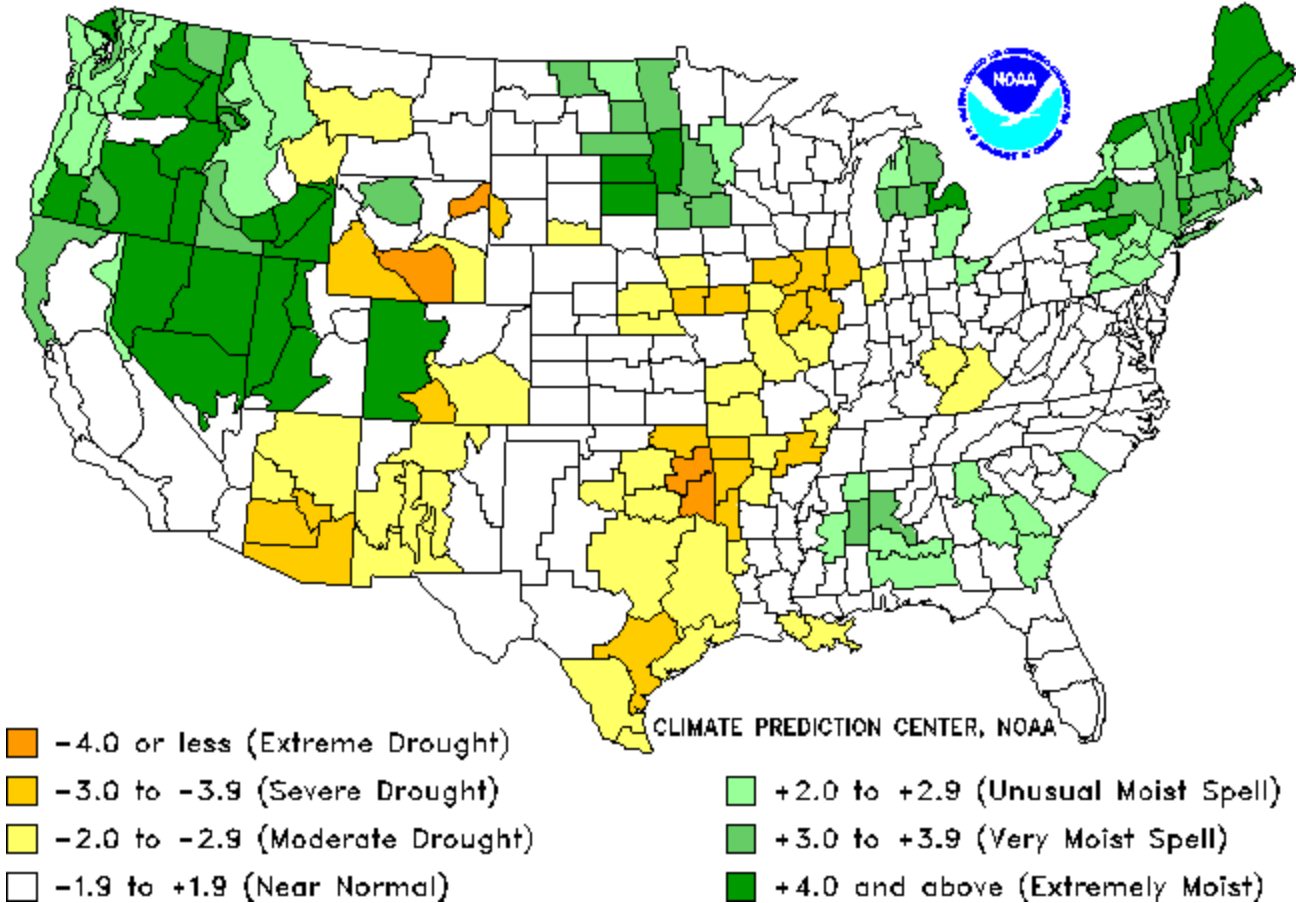


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Drought Severity Index by Division

Weekly Value for Period Ending 4 MAR 2006

Long Term Palmer



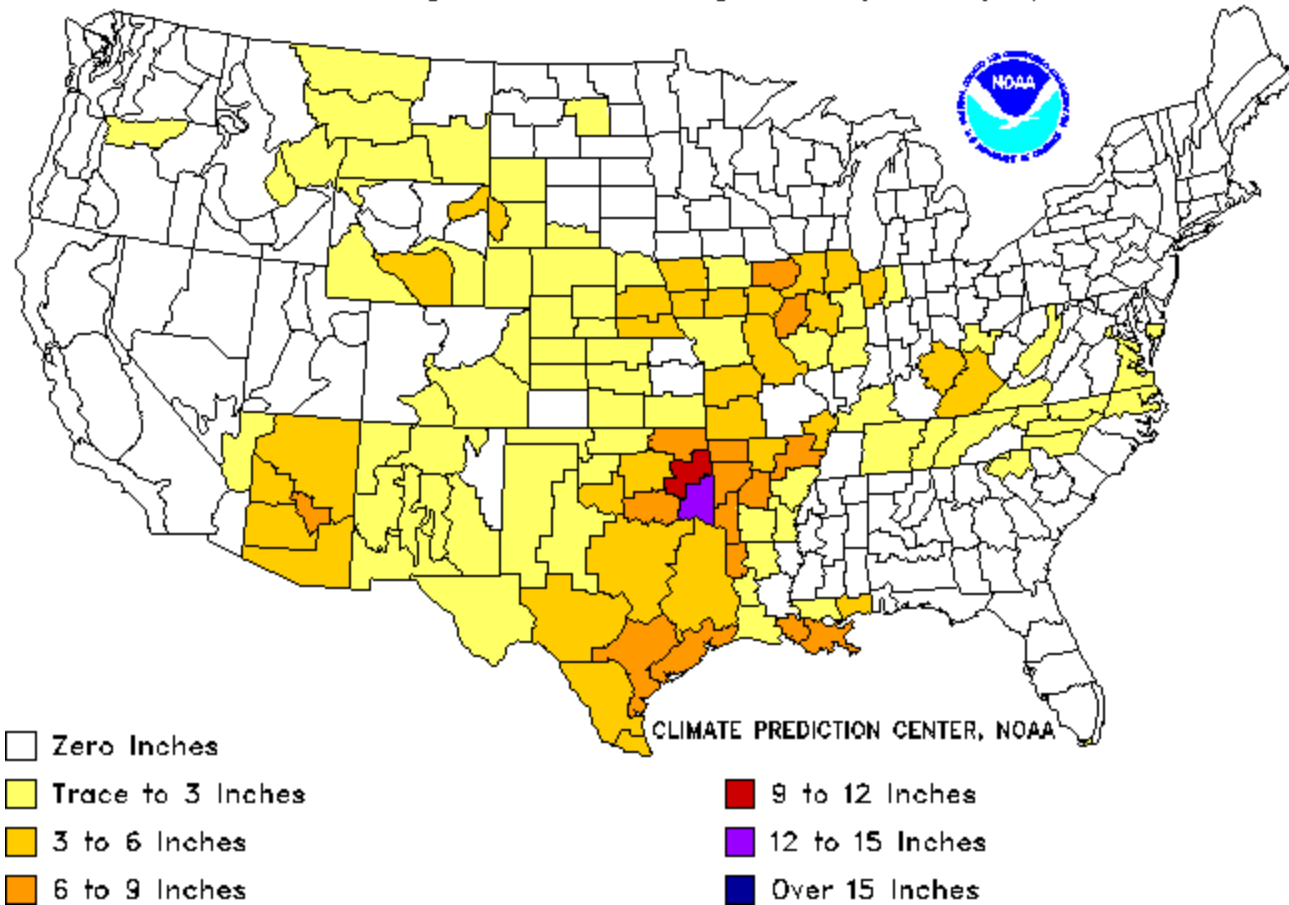
THE PALMER DROUGHT SEVERITY INDEX

The Palmer Index uses temperature and rainfall information in a formula to determine dryness. The advantage of the Palmer Index is that it is standardized to local climate.

Additional Precip. Needed (In.) to Bring PDI to -0.5

Weekly Value for Period Ending 4 MAR 2006

Long Term Palmer Drought Severity Index (PDI)



This is the amount of rainfall required in a week's time to bring the index back to zero inches required.